





# THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Thursday Morning, March 12, 1868.

## TO ADVERTISERS.

Transient Advertisements must be paid for in advance to insure insertion.

## TO AGENTS.

Settlements of accounts will be required monthly, or the supply of papers will be discontinued. The daily and weekly issues will be furnished at the lowest cash rates and no exception will be made in future made to this rule.

Mr. Disraeli, having made his maiden speech as Premier, has assumed the responsible position under circumstances not the most pleasant. He is certain to meet with opposition from the rank and file of the Liberals, though he may not be openly opposed by the leaders of the party in the Commons, who have no desire to force on end incur the expense of a general election at this time, when under the new Franchise Act a general election in the fall of the present year is imperatively required. The Disraeli Government is therefore at least safe until after the Conservatives shall have measured their strength with the Liberals before the newly-created electors. In the House of Lords Earl Russell, with a querulousness and show of ill temper that are the usual accompaniments of old age, has declared that he has "no confidence in a policy that is always saying one thing and meaning another,"—a remark that comes with excellent taste from the noble Earl, when we remember that the present Ministry are indebted to him alone for the valuable legacies of the Alabama claims and the Abyssinian war; and, indirectly, for that other treasure—the Fenian conspiracy. The Janus-like policy of Earl Russell while in the Foreign Office, suffered the Confederate privateers to escape to sea and perpetrate atrocities upon the commerce of the United States—a policy which the United States now asserts, so long as the Alabama claims remain unsettled, justifies their connivance at Fenian conspiracies hatched on American soil. It is equally notorious that had Earl Russell exercised due caution in dealing with Theodoros, and condescended to answer his Majesty's silly letter to the Queen, the country would not now be involved in an expensive war with the African king. The aristocratic portion of the Conservative party would have preferred Lord Stanley, present Minister of Foreign Affairs, as Premier; but had such selection been made, Mr Disraeli would have had cause for complaint and a serious rupture in the Cabinet must have resulted. By the choice of Mr Disraeli, a Ministerial crisis has been avoided, and the changes have been only such as were rendered necessary by the retirement of Earl Derby and the advancement of the Chancellor of the Exchequer. The Irish Reform Bill will be one of the first measures introduced by Government at the present session, and if we are to judge from the remarks of Earl Mayo and the new Premier, the political affairs of that unhappy island will receive a thorough overhauling if not effectual reform. The Irish Church establishment must give way, and the custom of Tenant-right be legalized. Tenant-right consists in this; that an outgoing tenant is permitted to sell the right of occupation of his farm to the incoming one; the landlord having the right to object to any incoming tenant he does not like. Such has been the recognized custom in most parts of Ireland; and all that is needed to make it binding and to secure the tenant from the rapacity of a grasping landlord, who may decline to pay him for his improvements, is an Act of Parliament. From the tenor of the remarkable debate upon the Alabama claims in the House of Commons on the 7th inst., we gather that the country is prepared to accept any honorable settlement of the knotty point. The last proposition of Lord Stanley, to refer the claims to a mixed commission, was met by the American Premier with a proposition to refer not only the claims but the whole subject of Great Britain's right to accord States in rebellion the rights of belligerents, to the commission. This proposition was peremptorily declined by Lord Stanley, who, quite properly, refuses to subject the foreign policy of the nation to the criticism of any commission. There is no denying that the situation of affairs between the two countries has been critical. At one time a spark might have fired the train; but we glean from the moderate, sensible and statesmanlike expressions of the leading men of both parties in the Commons, and the evident desire of the Ministry to settle the difficulty, that a speedy and honorable adjustment of this disputed point of international law will meet with the cordial endorsement of the country at large.

Results of the Public Meeting on Confederation.  
Editor COLONIST:—At the termination of the public meeting upon this subject, a number of gentlemen were appointed to wait upon the Governor, since which nothing further has been heard of the matter. The obstructionists have despatched their petition and received their reply—but what have our delegates done? These representatives of manifest destiny seem rather slow coaches. If they go on at this pace in making the overland road it will take about two centuries instead of two years. Pray, Sir can you give us any information upon this matter? Where were these delegates when last heard of? Is their general health satisfactory? Have they got as far as that interesting seaport called Esquimalt? Is it true they have arrived there in safety? and when supplied with additional provisions will they be moving on? Any information, Sir, upon this subject would, I am sure, be gratefully received by the benighted public.

Yours truly,  
HUGH PRESSURE,  
Hon. Sec'y of the Go-ahead Society.

## Market.

Editor COLONIST:—Having seen the necessary of a Public Market mooted for some time past, whereby farmers and others can have a place to sell their produce on stated days, and as no action has been taken in the matter, we propose to open the Cattle Sale Yard every Saturday (or more frequently if necessary) from such produce as may be offered, such as fruit, grain, hay, straw, butter, eggs, cheese, poultry, rabbits, goats, pigs, sheep, horses, mules, cattle of every description, etc. etc. The charges to be within the reach of every one. Parties intending to patronise the market, by given due notice of what they intend to send, the same will be advertised without additional charge. Such produce or stock as may remain unsold at noon on market days, can be sold by auction (at the option of the owners) at the usual auction rates. We propose to open the market on Saturday, March 21st, 1868. Scale of charges will appear in a few days under our usual business card.

J. P. DAVIES & Co.  
Victoria, V. I., March 10th, 1868.

The kangaroos are so multiplying in the neighbourhood of Geelong, that great battues have been recently organized, in three of which alone 4000 kangaroos were captured and knocked on the head. The plan is to set up great stockades too high for the kangaroos to jump over, and lead to the mouth of these stockades by widely diverging stockade alleys, into which the kangaroos are driven by horsemen formed in a semicircle. In one of these battues, however, the poor creatures discovered the trap and had the pluck to turn back in a large body, so that several hundreds forced their way out in spite of the hunters and escaped. The scene on this occasion must have been very exciting, the kangaroos dodging grotesquely about in all directions, the billy kangaroos (called joey) which had been ejected from their mother's pouches, skipping helplessly in the crowd, and the horsemen galloping, shouting, cracking their whips and endeavoring to head the columns of retreating kangaroos. None of the skins nor any of the flesh seems to have been saved for sale, though the skins sometimes fetch 17s. a dozen, and the hind-quarters and tails are said to make such delicious soup as to be worth preserving and sending to England for our dinner tables. Two kangaroos are said to eat as much grass as three sheep, hence this St. Bartholomew's Day of Kangaroos.

We notice in a Western paper the fact that there is a merchant in the town in which the paper is printed, who, whenever a man buys a good article of goods, he presents the purchaser a present of the village paper, in which he advertises, for one year, and thus he manages to keep the customer constantly reminded of his business, and he will never forget such a present. Should that man give his customers two dollars in greenbacks or in goods it might soon be forgotten; but when he is once a week, for fifty two weeks, placed in receipt of his friend's bounty, can any one doubt its being a good way to advertise? This is worthy of imitation by business men. Tribune.

REMARKABLE GROWTH.—A 'down East' writer, expatiating on the fertilizing properties of guano, gives a veracious account of Kansas soil in the following: "A few hours after planting cucumber seeds the dirt began to fly and the vines came up like a streak, and although he started off at the top of his speed, the vines overtook him; and on taking out his knife to cut the darned thing he found a large cucumber gone to seed in his pocket."

WATERPROOFING THE SOLES OF SHOES ON BOOTS.—This simple and effectual remedy is nothing more than a little beeswax and mutton suet, warmed in a pan, until in a liquid state; then rub some of it lightly over the edges of the sole where the stitches are, which will repel the wet and not in the least prevent the blacking from having the usual effect.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS AND OINTMENT.—Prevents weakness.—Whenever circumstances produce impure blood, or lessen the force of the circulation, stagnation takes place in the lungs, and consumption or other formidable symptoms discover themselves. Let Holloway's remedies be tried on the first feelings of debility, or on the first annoyance from a dry, hacking cough. The Ointment should be well rubbed, twice a day, upon the chest, and between the shoulders, and the Pills should be taken in alternative doses, to purify the blood and cleanse the system, without weakening it, by rousing or aggravating existing nervous irritation. These observations carry additional weight in summer, when decline and general weakness from heat and other causes are more apt to prevail.

33.—The best Remedy for Purifying the Blood, strengthening the Nerves, Restoring the Lost Appetite, FRESHENING THE TEA.  
It is the best preservative against almost any sickness, used timely. Composed of herbs only, it can be given safely to infants. Full directions in English, French, Spanish, and German, with every package. TRY IT!  
For sale at all the wholesale and retail drug stores and groceries.  
EMIL FRESE, Wholesale Druggist,  
Sole Agent, 410 Clay St.,  
San Francisco, 78

# MALARIA!

Chills and fever and ague, and every kind of intermittent and remittent fever, spring from one cause, viz: inhalation of malaria, or miasma, which vitiates and depraves the biliary secretions, deranges the natural action of the stomach and liver, and produces the above. Bristol's Sarsaparilla and Pills are the surest and safest of all correctors and invigorators of the liver and stomach. They are certain cure for malarial diseases.

## CAUTION!

THE FASHIONABLE WORLD and all purchasers of FLORIDA WATER should be careful to see that they get the true MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER. All other preparations under the name of Florida Water are comparatively worthless, and possess none of the virtues of the genuine article, which is prepared only by Lanman & Kemp, New York, sole proprietors.

## New Advertisements.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1862.  
CHARLES HENRY BROWN, OF THE Bush Tavern, Esquimalt Road, and of the Parson's Bridge Hotel, Esquimalt District, having been adjudged bankrupt on the 11th day of March, 1868, is hereby required to surrender himself at the Court of Bankruptcy, at James Bay, at the first meeting of Creditors, to be held on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, instant, at 12 o'clock at noon precisely.  
At the meeting the Registrar will receive proofs of debts and the creditors may choose assignees.  
All persons having claims against the bankrupt must deliver the same to Richard Woods, Esq., the Official Assignee, W. S. Sebright Green, is Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

JULIUS SEITZ,  
FURRIER,  
JOHNSON STREET, CLOSE TO WHARF,  
VICTORIA, B.C.

Will Pay the Highest Price for all kinds of Furs in season.

TRAPERS AND TRAPPERS receiving Furs will find it to their advantage to give the above a call before disposing of them elsewhere. mal2 7m

A CARD.  
TO THE CHIEF ENGINEER, OFFICERS and Members of the Victoria Fire Department:  
GENTLEMEN,—I beg to say that I accept my sincere thanks for your valuable services and assistance during the fire on my property from being destroyed by fire on Monday morning, the 9th inst.  
I have the honor to remain,  
Yours respectfully,  
THOS. HARRIS.

Dissolution of Partnership.  
THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Albert F. Hicks and Thos. Russell, under the name and style of Hicks & Russell, as Grocers and Provision Dealers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due to and from the said firm will be settled by the said Thos. Russell, who will continue the business in his own name.  
Witnesses—J. R. Stewart, Thos. L. Fawcett. mal2

THOS RUSSELL,  
(LATE HICKS & RUSSELL.)  
Grocer & Provision Dealer,  
GOVERNMENT STREET,  
(Adjoining the Custom House.)

Orders from Navy Messes and Contracts faithfully fulfilled.  
Goods sent to any part of the city free of cost for carriage. mal1

NOTICE.  
MEETING OF THE SUBSCRIBERS to the Royal Hospital will be held at the Police Court, at Two o'clock on Wednesday, March 19th, for the purpose of electing fifteen Directors for the ensuing year. The voting will be by ballot. Every subscriber of £5 is entitled to a vote, which may be given by proxy or enclosed to the Secretary, with the subscriber's name unattached. The following gentlemen are proposed:  
Barstow, Robert, Chairman  
Drake, J. W. H. T. H. Dean  
Helmcken, J. S. Hibben, T. N.  
Hodges, Henry Lowe, James  
McDonald, W. J. Penberton, A. F.  
Shepherd, J. S. Siro, Gustav  
Wilkie, John Wilson, Thomas  
Young, W. A. G. Pearce, B.  
E. GILGIE, Hon. Secretary.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF  
SIR JAMES DOUGLAS, K.C.B.

INTERESTING ENTERTAINMENT  
OF THE  
MECHANICS'  
LITERARY INSTITUTE  
The Committee of the Mechanics' Literary Institute have engaged the  
THEATRE ROYAL  
FOR

Friday next, March 13th,  
On which occasion the various Literary productions upon "Beacon Hill Cemetery" will be read and the prizes awarded, followed by Readings of "Original Comedians" and award of Bells.  
The evening's entertainment will be enlivened by the introduction of Glee, Quartettes, Solos, &c., &c.  
Price of Admission—Boxes and Parquet, 50 cents; Pit, 25 cents; secured seats, 25 cents extra. mal2

Esquimalt Board of Road Commission.  
ALL DEFAULTERS IN RESPECT OF Road Tax in the Districts of Esquimalt, Sooke and Metchosin, are hereby notified that all amounts now due MUST BE PAID to the Collector, at his office, Government street, on or before the 15th DAY OF MARCH, instant, at which date proceedings for the recovery thereof and expenses will be commenced. By order. Clerk and Collector to the Boards of Road Commission. mal2

Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Company (Limited).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the said Company will be held in the Council Chamber, corner of Broad and Front streets, in the city of Victoria, on MONDAY, the 16th inst., at 1 o'clock p.m., to pass a Special Resolution to increase the Capital of the Company. Also, to pass a Resolution to change the Registered Office of the Company from New Westminster to Victoria.  
March 3, 1868. H. GASTON, Secretary. mal7

NOTICE.  
I HAVE THIS DAY DISPOSED of my interest in the Boot and shoe Store on Fort street, to Mr. CHARLES FAIRBANK, who will henceforth carry on the business. Thanking my friends and customers for past favors, I bespeak for my successor the same liberal patronage in the future that has been bestowed upon me in the past.  
D. B. REID.  
mal9 1w

Colonial Hotel at Yale FOR SALE.

ON ACCOUNT OF MY ILL HEALTH it is my intention to leave the Colony, before which I offer for sale one-half interest in the Colonial Hotel, consisting of the lot, water privilege, the building, restaurant, bedroom and bar furniture, &c., &c. The situation of the hotel is well known to the travelling public of the Upper Country.  
Any party or parties wishing to buy my interest can have the privilege of the whole.  
For further particulars apply to  
FERNIER & LATREMOUILLE,  
Yale, British Columbia. mal1

New Advertisements.

# FOR CASH! FOR CASH!

## VICTORIA HOUSE.

# SELLING OFF WINTER STOCK

The Proprietors having determined upon closing out at once  
The Balance of their Winter Stock,  
Offer the same to the Public at rates  
CONSIDERABLY BELOW COST OF IMPORTATION!

The Goods in question are mostly NEW GOODS, just received from London, and are only offered at these rates in consequence of their arrival so late in the season.

WM. DENNY, Manager.

# FOR CASH! FOR CASH!

Henry Nathan, Jr. & Co.  
OFFER FOR SALE,  
EX "MARMORA," FROM LONDON,  
EX "Orient," from San Francisco,  
AND OTHER LATE ARRIVALS,  
CLOTHING.

Baltic, Regatta and Serge Shirts  
Boys' Suits  
Inverness Capes, Boys' and Men's  
Black Pants; Doe, Beaver and Tweed  
Pants  
Waistcoats, assorted, &c., &c.

DRY GOODS.  
Plaids, Coburgs, Linseys, Lustres,  
Checks  
Thread, Parasols, Mantles, Damask, &c

Seine and Sturgeon Twine  
Barbour's Shoe Thread, Bleached and  
Unbleached  
Fish Lines and Hooks  
Bagging, Chamois Skins  
Lead, Dry Paints, Lamp Black  
White and other Twine  
Suggy Robes, &c., &c.

## GROCERIES.

U.S. Tea, Isthmus Butter, Lard  
Coffee, Sugars (Refined and Brown)  
Yeast Powders, Candles, Beans  
Syrup, Currants, Figs, Raisins  
Sultanas, Plagniol Oil  
Vinegar, Best Malt  
Sardines, Field's Oysters, and other  
Case Goods, a full assortment  
Pie Fruits, Pickles, Sauces  
Blue, Paste, Vienna Matches  
Tobacco, Spices, Chocolate  
Oat and Corn Meal, Corn Starch  
Brooms, Beef, Pork, Salt  
Dried and Preserved Fruits and  
Vegetables, Paper, &c., &c.

Devos's Coal Oil

ALSO,

Hennessy and Martell Brandy, in case  
Martell, Otard Dupuy, Jules Robin  
and Sazerac Brandy, in q-rcks  
OLD TOM—Swaine, Boord & Co., case  
and bulk  
GIN—Red and Green Case and in bulk,  
J. D. K. Z.  
RUM—Best Jamaica, 33 per cent o.p.  
PORT—Hunt's 4 Diamond, bulk and  
case  
SHERRY—Duff Gordon's  
Orange Bitters, Liqueurs  
Cherry Cordial, Madeira, &c., &c.

HENRY NATHAN, Jr. & Co.

mal6 Wharf street, Victoria.

HOUSES AND LOTS FOR RENT.

Apply to  
HENRY NATHAN, Jr. & Co.,  
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BLANKETS.  
4-POINT GREEN;  
4-POINT INDIGO BLUE.  
For sale, at low rates, by  
THOS. LETT STAHLSCHEIDT,  
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CURTIS & HARVEY'S  
GUNPOWDER.  
F IN 1 LB. AND 1/2 LB. CANNISTERS  
COARSE GRAIN RIFLE  
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For sale by  
THOS. LETT STAHLSCHEIDT,  
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A FEW OF THE ABOVE  
celebrated instruments.  
For sale by  
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PORT WINE, very fine, in bottle

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LEA & PERRIN'S WORCESTER-  
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SPARS, PILES,

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CEDAR & SPRUCE,

Deliverable at Victoria, New Westmin-  
ster or any Port of the Colony.

Apply to  
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J. GOODACRE & J. M. LAMMON,

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MEATS and VEGETABLES.  
SUPERIOR ISLAND FET MEATS  
ALWAYS ON HAND.

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MISS HILLS BEGS TO ANNOUNCE  
to parents and guardians in Victoria and vicinity  
that she will open a

DAY SCHOOL

On MONDAY, March 16,

IN THE BRICK BUILDING,  
Corner of Douglas and View streets,

FOR THE INSTRUCTION OF  
BOYS AND GIRLS

In the following branches, viz:

Spelling and Reading, Grammar, Composition, English  
Literature, History, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra,  
Geometry, Writing, Book-keeping, Drawing, Natural  
Philosophy, Chemistry, Chemical Physics, Animal and  
Vegetable Physiology, Astronomy.

Miss Mills holds a Provincial Certificate from the Upper  
Canada Normal School, and also Certificates of having  
been a competent and successful school teacher from  
three boards of school trustees, and two local schools  
superintendents in Canada, besides testimonials of good  
moral character from clergymen and others.

The given branches will be taught according to modern  
and improved methods; particular attention will be paid  
to Mathematics and Book-keeping.

Terms per Month in Advance.  
For children over seven years.....\$3 00  
For children under seven years..... 2 50

N. B. No additional rates will be demanded as the  
pupils advance in the different branches enumerated.  
Victoria, March 2nd, 1868. mal2 1m2p

## IMPORTANT

TO DEALERS AND CONSUMERS OF THE

SAINSEVAIN WINE BITTERS!

In ordering WINE BITTERS, be sure you ask  
for the SAINSEVAIN WINE BITTERS,  
manufactured by MERCADO & SEULLY,  
SAN FRANCISCO, for inferior kinds are often  
substituted. Observe the YELLOW LABEL.

And that the name of MERCADO &  
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and STAMP.

This most DELICIOUS WINE can be had  
from the principal Wine Merchants and Liqueur Dealers  
throughout the State. mal2 2m2p

## BÉWARE!

Observe the yellow label on Sainse-  
vain's Wine Bitters, and see that the

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Wrapper, Stamp and Label. mal1 1w

## MATZOTH

To the Israelites of British Columbia  
and Puget Sound.

NOTICE

THE PASSOVER BREAD WILL BE  
made under the superintendence of Messrs. JACOB  
and ANTHONY, of Yates street.

For the Store street Cracker Bakery.  
All orders attended to.  
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G. SUTRO & CO.,

Corner of Yates and Wharf Streets,

IMPORTERS OF

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TO BE LET,

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THIS FIRST-CLASS FAMILY HOTEL,  
PARTLY FURNISHED, WILL BE  
let to a suitable tenant on VERY REASONABLE  
TERMS.  
Apply to  
T. ALLSOP, Land Agent,  
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**Eastern States.**  
CHICAGO, March 9th.—The Washington special to-night says that leading Democrats intimate that the President has fully decided upon his plan regarding impeachment. First his counsel will appear in Court on Friday and will ask for an extension of time. They will then object to every Republican Senator who expressed an opinion regarding the President's guilt or innocence on the articles of impeachment, being allowed to sit as a juror. Of course they do not expect to carry this point. Second they will raise a question whether Senators from 27 States constitute the Senate of the United States. They will maintain, until all the States are represented in the Senate and House, the former body is not competent to try the question of impeachment.  
The President failing in both of these will firmly refuse to proceed with the trial, asserting that in such a Court justice cannot be received. Then he will rise and send in his resignation and appeal directly to the people to sustain him and pass judgment at the ballot box against the Senate.

**Oregon.**  
PORTLAND, Mar 11.—The *Fideliter* sailed last evening for Victoria with 3258 ske floor, 214 boxes apples and a full list of passengers.

**Delayed Despatches.**  
**Europe.**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Dates from Crete are to January 20th. They represent the prospects of the Turks more gloomy than ever. They have been defeated in several engagements, and met with severe

losses. The Turkish population is becoming discontented. The troops have shown a mutinous disposition. The island is now in a more successful state of revolution than ever. Arms and ammunition continue to be sent in from all quarters. The Russian corvette has landed 1,400 Cretans. The non-combatants in Greece number 63,000. The Provisional Government has appealed to the Christian Powers to send ships to Greece. It has also protested against the cruelties of the Sultan.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.—The Russian Admiral commanding the squadron on duty in the Grecian Archipelago, has demanded from the Porte an explanation of the report prevalent in Turkey, and which has been published in a recent issue of the *Herald*, to the effect that a vessel of the Russian fleet has offered material aid and comfort to the Cretan insurgents. The Porte replied that the Sultan has received no such charge against any Russian officials. The Turkish government seizes the opportunity to express its censure of newspaper writers who publish such statements.

DUBLIN, Feb. 21.—The audience at Train's lecture, last night, was very boisterous; some persons present, who hissed the speaker, were roughly used. A strong force of police was on hand and prevented any serious personal violence or display of demonstration.

BERLIN, Feb. 19.—In the Prussian House of Deputies yesterday the Government was asked to explain why the United States Consul at Jerusalem was allowed to procure the arrest of one Markus, a Jewish subject of Prussia, with whose ward, a young girl, the American Consul sought to elope; also, why, after the guardian had been thrown into prison to facilitate the attempt, the Prussian Consul at Jerusalem refused to demand Markus as a subject of Prussia for his protection. This case excites much feeling among the Jews, who regard it as involving rights and privileges similar to those violated in the Mortara affair at Rome, and represent the outrage as an insult to Prussia.

The Finance Minister replied that the German Consul at Jerusalem is a Federal, not a Prussian representative, and application for any information must be made to the Chancellor of the North German Confederation.  
The indications are that Sir Beresford Hope will carry the election for member of Parliament from the University, Cambridge. The seat was rendered vacant by the appointment of Mr. Selwyn to the Bench.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The *Herald's* Madrid special says information from the Provinces shows that the leaders of the Carlist party have effected a revolution against Queen Isabella in the North. Adherents have taken up arms in considerable numbers at Navarre. A skirmish has taken place in the city of Navarre. The Queen's officers were maintaining their allegiance. A few persons were wounded during the tumult.

The movement appears to be the result of a deliberate and well planned organization. The police have documentary evidence, and have already found three thousand copies of revolutionary placards addressed to the people of Spain, headed with a wood cut likewise of the eldest son of Don Juan, who is styled Charles the Seventh of Spain. This young gentleman is the second cousin of Queen Isabella, and grandson of Don Carlos, who resisted her accession to the throne.

Late advices from Cape Town, Africa, state that the Supreme Court at Natal has finally decided the question of Church property in favor of Bishop Bateler.

**West Indies.**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—A Havana special reports that the general mercantile house of Keobbe, Leiturg & Co., of Matanzas, are acting as the agents for strong London bankers in securing a treaty for the loan to the Spanish Government of 20 millions on account of the Island of Cuba, the loan to be secured on the revenue of the island.

HAVANA, Feb. 20.—Nassau dates to the 20th say the blacks have held a mass meeting and openly criticised the Government, charging it with inability to extricate the colony from its financial difficulties, which they charge to the extravagant measures of the Colonial Government. The whites are loyal but feel uneasy at the prospect.

HAVANA, Feb. 18.—Advices from Kingston say that the American Consul, Gregg, has telegraphed to Washington, demanding the services of a man-of-war to obtain redress for the outrage on the American whaler Hannah Grant.

Advices from St. Domingo say a Commission has been sent to Curacao to receive President Belis.

The *Herald's* Havana special confirms and reports of the proposed loan of \$2,000,000 to the Matanzas. The interest on the loan is 7 per cent, to be repaid within twenty years, in annual installments of one million dollars. The parties insist on the sanction of the Madrid Government, which the latter seems reluctant to give.

**Mexico.**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The *Herald's* special gives details of the alleged attempt to assassinate Juarez. Several foreigners have been arrested.

HAVANA, Feb. 27.—Among the passengers per steamer Georgia from Vera Cruz are Gen. Struve and Col. Proudfoot, commanders of the American legion. Just as the Georgia left, a telegram was received stating that two Mexicans from Havana had attempted to assassinate Juarez and rob the treasury. There was no means of ascertaining the truth or falsity of the rumor.

It is reported that the Mexican treasury is buying in the English and Spanish claims, and ignoring American demands, though these proceedings are against the will of Romero, who is powerless to prevent them.

**Eastern States.**  
NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—There was an immense mass meeting held to-night at the Cooper Institute, James Gallatin presiding. The resolutions adopted affirm the right of the President to remove members of the Cabinet; declare the attempt to deprive him of this right a monstrous perversion of power; deprecate impeachment as the last resort of tyrants, and calculated to bring disgrace or grievous wrongs to the public; express confidence in the moderation of the Senate, and trust to the ballot box for redress of wrongs.

directions represent that the snow storm prevailed over an immense extent of territory, and was the severest of the season. Owing to the prevalence of incendiary fires in this city, the Board of Underwriters has appropriated \$5,000 to be offered as rewards for the capture of incendiaries.

SYRACUSE, Feb. 18.—The municipal election has resulted in a Republican victory by an increased majority over last year.

**California.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—The *Bulletin* makes the following statement in regard to railroad matters:

1. The Central Pacific Railroad has bought the San Jose Railroad, the contract having been made some days ago, the actual possession and change of the business to take place about two years from this time. Meantime the San Jose Railroad is to build the road to Gilroy.

2. The Central Pacific has bought the Southern Pacific Railroad, its franchise and all that pertains to it as a road, the visible transfer and possession to take place contemporaneously with the San Jose road.

3. The Central Pacific now owns or controls all the railroad routes which have been projected between San Francisco and any part of the interior, including the Western Pacific Railroad and the control of the Vallejo and Sacramento Railroad.

4. The conflicting statements about the terminus of the Pacific Railroad, are reconsidered as follows: One terminus has already been agreed upon at Oakland and the agreement reduced to writing between the Railroad Company, the city authorities, carpenters and others. This arrangement includes a transfer of land to the company for depot and other purposes. The same company has agreed substantially to make another terminus in the city of San Francisco, and negotiations have been going on for some time

concerning a transfer of lands and water front for this object.  
The brig Hugh Barclay, reported ashore on the north spit of Umpqua river, is a complete wreck. She was worth about \$14,000.

Peter Mower, whose eye-sight was destroyed with vitrol by E. A. Manning, appeals to the public for charity. He is utterly destitute and has a family in the Atlantic States.

**INSULT TO A BRITISH OFFICER IN EGYPT.—**  
PROMPT PUNISHMENT OF THE OFFENDERS.—  
The Alexandria correspondent of the *Levant Herald* writes:—"On Saturday evening Mr F J J Elliott, the second lieutenant and officer in command of the Terrible—the captain and first lieutenant being at the time at Cairo—was dining at the British residency with Captain Willoughby, the resident transport officer, and after dinner chartered an aroba to convey him to the Cairo railway station. Coachman—an Arab—appears to have missed his way and got outside the walls of the town, and his lamps not being lit, was there pulled up by a patrol of cavasas. After waiting patiently for some time whilst the guttural palava went on, Mr Elliott called out to the driver to proceed, and on this being prevented by the cavasas, prepared to get out and walk. Before he could do so, however, he was seized and hustled out by a couple of the ragged gendarmes, to whom four or five others speedily lent hand, and between them Mr Elliott was half garrotted in less time than I take to tell it. Finding himself in extremis, he managed to draw a life-preserver, and

shot at the assailants, who for a moment were cowed off, speedily brought up the whole guard, and then Mr Elliott was again seized and pummelled and battered within an inch of his life. That done, he was dragged down the road to the guard-house—it was near the Pompey's Pillar gates—and there brought before a venerable but dirty old gaffer, who, speaking a little English, told him to consider himself a prisoner for the night. Mr Elliott told him he was and how the row had happened, on hearing which the chief at once changed his tone, and generously offered to let the affair drop if the prisoner would give him a couple of francs' backshesh. To this our countryman demurred, but he had finally to pay one franc before he got back his life-preserver and was allowed to resume his drive, the whole party offering to shake hands with him as he remounted the currie. Next morning Mr Elliott went to the Consulate, and found one of the under-officials, who gave him a note of complaint to Ali Bey, the Governor of Zaptieh. Armed with this, and accompanied by a consular cavasas, he proceeded to the prison, where the gravity of the outrage was at once acknowledged, and this morning appointed for the identification and punishment of the offenders. Accordingly this was done to-day, the old malazim being sentenced to two years' hard labor in the Arsenal, and the worst of Mr Elliott's assailants to 130 bastinadoes. Of these the fellow got seventy, when Mr Elliott interposed and stopped the stick.

**MECHANICS' LITERARY INSTITUTE ENTERTAINMENT.**—Passing by Messrs. Hibben's stationery establishment we observed in the window the Certificate Cards of the Prize awards, which are to accompany the presentation of the amounts. These cards are very nicely got up, and, very significantly, have decorations of laurel leaves upon them. The successful parties will be gratified to have this record of their success, and will value it much higher than the small amount of the prize. In yesterday's paper Sir James Douglas has manifested the interest felt by giving his patronage and engaging a private box at the Theatre. His Honor the Chief Justice, with the other Judges of Merit, Rev. Mr. Somerville and Lawley Franklin, Esq., will be present to hand over the Prize awards. We have every reason to believe this demonstration will be a success. The object of the Mechanics' Literary Institute in introducing this novel kind of entertainment is to develop latent talent—to add to the popularity of the Institute, its funds and its usefulness—certainly very creditable motives. From the very moderate prices of admission we anticipate a bumper house.

**STAG HUNT.**—The stag hunt mentioned in our yesterday's issue will come off somewhere to-day in the neighborhood of Beacon Hill, at 2 p.m., the precise locality not being decided on. A meeting will take place at the Bee Hive Hotel (when the stag will be in attendance) at 1 o'clock, and it will then be left to the majority intending to participate in the sport where to start from. Should the day prove propitious, a good number will attend, no doubt, for nothing is more exhilarating than the music of hounds after a real live stag.

**A PRECOCIOUS SCAMP.**—Jim, an Indian boy, apparently about the age of 13, was brought before the police court yesterday on a charge of burglariously entering the premises of M. Diard, for the purpose of theft. The young scamp acknowledged the charge and pleaded poverty as an excuse. The magistrate, with a view of discovering whether or not there were any accomplices in the affair, remanded the prisoner for one day.

**SAN JUAN GARRISON.**—The gunboat Forward returned yesterday from the British Camp on San Juan Island, whither she had conveyed 53 marines to reinforce the garrison there. These marines came up in the Reindeer, and are armed with the new breech-loading rifle of the Snider pattern.

**MECHANICS' LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT ON FRIDAY.—**Secure Your Seats.—A party will be in attendance this morning at the Theatre, from 10 to one o'clock, with the plan of the boxes and to attend to those who wish to secure seats.

The performance for the benefit of Mr. Charles Clarke came off last evening at the Theatre. The building was filled, and the acting, in most respects, everything that could be desired. We reserve extended remarks until to-morrow.

On the 20th December last, after the Council, Mr Arthur Edward Kennedy, C.B., Governor of the West African Settlements, was introduced to Her Majesty's presence by Lord Oland Hamilton, and received the honor of knighthood.

**NOTICE.**—In addition to our regular Letter Express, we have now completed arrangements for forwarding and receiving a weekly Treasury and Freight Express overland via Olympia and Portland.—WELLS, FARGO & Co.—Victoria, March 10, 1888. 61

**CANADIAN PARLIAMENT.**—This body will reassemble to-day. Among the first questions to come before it will be the extension of the Confederacy to this coast.

The Olympia Tribune says the steamer Amelia (a boat of the same dimensions of the Enterprise) has been purchased to run on Paget Sound as an opposition boat.

The Enterprise went to Langley yesterday to take in freight for Victoria. She will come down on Thursday.

The Otter will start on a trading trip up the Northwest Coast in a few days.

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**Large Landed Properties in England.**

[From Louis Blanc's Letter on England.]  
There can be no doubt that the ownership of the soil in England is not only accumulated, but tends to still further accumulate in a few hands. "I know," said Mr Bright in his speech to the electors of Birmingham, "I know the case of a noble personage who is supposed to have an annual income of £120,000. He spends £40,000 a year, and the £80,000 which remains he lays out in rounding his property by buying up every estate which is for sale." Examples of this kind abound.

Sussex, which contains 800 square miles, is almost entirely the property of two noblemen—the Duke of Richmond and Leonfield. The city of London, a city astonishing through its immensity, belongs to a mere handful of individuals. Such a great lord may possess a quarter as extensive as the capital of certain kingdoms. The wealth of the Grosvenor family shines with a splendor which makes even that of the throne look pale by its side; and it is yet nothing in comparison with what it will be at the expiration of the leases in Belgravia. The domains of Dunley Buchleigh Brownlow assume monstrous proportions. The other day we read in the public journals that the guardians of the Marquis of Bute, a youth sixteen years of age, had expended £2,000,000 in improving the estate of the house of Crichton Mount Stuart, at Cardiff. We may form some idea of the value of a property when, in order to improve it, and only to improve it, two millions sterling are expended.

**A New Propeller.**

The following extract from Admiral Farquhar's report on the performance of H.B.M. Iron-clad Water Witch, 700 tons, 100 horsepower, will interest those of our readers who are interested in marine affairs. The vessel referred to is driven by what is called the Ruthven hydraulic propeller, which is claimed to be far superior to anything hitherto used. A company has been organized in New York to bring out this invention—  
From the *Excellent* we went on board the Water Witch. This vessel is an ironclad of about 700 tons, carries two eight-inch rifled guns, and is propelled in a most novel manner. The water rises from below into the box, whence the rotary pump, worked by steam, throws it with great violence into two square boxes placed on the outside of the

about the water line. These boxes are square tubes, ten or twelve feet long and twelve inches in diameter, open at both ends. Near the centre is a valve, under the control of the officer of the deck, and as he turns it, the water is thrown with great force, either forward or aft, thus propelling the vessel ahead or astern, at his will.

So soon as we got on board we proceeded out of the harbor, and to my amazement she went ahead at a speed of seven or eight miles per hour against a fresh breeze and quite a sea. The machinery when once put in motion had no interruption until we were alongside the wharf again.

The movements of the vessel are entirely controlled by the officer of the deck, who by manoeuvring the valves above spoken of, can go ahead, back astern, or turn the vessel upon her centre, all of which was done with great ease and whilst I was on board. On her return from Spithead to the wharf she made quite as much as nine knots per hour up to within fifty or sixty yards of the wharf, when she was suddenly checked and brought to the wharf with infinitely more ease than any steamer I ever saw, notwithstanding she is a heavy vessel, plated with four and a half inches of iron.

It will be observed that the Water Witch has neither paddles, screw nor rudder, all those offices being performed by the hydraulic motors, under the easy control of the officer of the deck.

**Fejee Islands Treaty.**

WASHINGTON, January 20th.—The new treaty with the Fejee Islands has reached the Department of State. It is a whale's tooth richly variegated in color, with strongly twisted grass cord at the ends. By it the King mortgages his island to the United States for three years as security for the payment of the remaining instalment of their indemnity account, his subjects having eaten some American sailors many years ago. The President is to prevent the rival King from bringing war against the legitimate sovereign of the Fejee. The King's instructions are that if the President accepts the tooth the treaty is to be considered established, otherwise it will be returned.

The Abyssinian expedition is reported to have swallowed up the usual amount of the surplus of the Navy estimates, and it is believed that there will be little or nothing to return into the Exchequer at the close of the financial year, especially when we find that the Channel Squadron has returned home with a formidable list of defects, so that any sums which have been saved from the demand made upon us by our friend Theodore will be required to be disbursed upon Admiral Warden's ships—*Army and Navy Gazette*.

**A LAUGHABLE ERROR.**—A short time ago a correspondent of the *Walla Walla Statesman* in describing a dancing party held at Wallula, made use of some verses in the sketch. As printed one verse ran thus:  
Midst the splendor of a ball room,  
We're accustomed to behold  
Calves varied as the rainbow,  
Yet we'd but one, all told.  
It seems that the 'poick' wrote it 'colours'—it was the printer who put it calves.

**NAVAL SUPPLIES.**—In a few days Messrs. Wilson & Co. will open the premises at Esquimalt, lately occupied by Mr S. Nesbit, as a depot and bread and biscuit bakery for the supply of Navy Messes, Merchant Shipping and residents generally, at Victoria prices.

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